

## Ralph L. Thomas, 52



Ralph L. Thomas, of Duxbury, passed away on Oct. 23, 2016 at the age of 52. Mr. Thomas was the beloved son of David K. and Patty L. (Johnson) Thomas, Jr., of Florida; the dear father of Katelyn and Andrew Thomas, both of Duxbury; the grandson of Ruby Johnson of California; and the brother of Robin Thomas of Kingston. Mr. Thomas leaves many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and friends.

Mr. Thomas went to The University of New Haven on a football scholarship. He was a graduate of the California Culinary Academy and a member of the American Legion in Duxbury. Mr. Thomas was an avid sports enthusiast who coached youth baseball, football and track. He also ran the concession stand at Duxbury Youth Football and Baseball games. Mr. Thomas was a devoted father whose pride and joy were his children, Katelyn and Andrew.

Visiting hours will be held on Thursday, Oct. 27 from 4 to 8 p.m. at the MacDonald Funeral Home, 1755 Ocean Street (Rte. 139) in Marshfield. A funeral Mass will be held on Friday, Oct. 28 at 9 a.m. at the Holy Family Church, 601 Tremont Street, Duxbury.

Memorial donations in Mr. Thomas' memory can be made to the Thomas Children Fund, c/o Eastern Bank, P.O. Box 1716, Duxbury, MA 02331

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